

Stories of the Pittsburgh's Cultural Treasures Initiative

The stories will be posted on this page twice weekly as a continuation of the program's goal to celebrate the contributions these groups have made to Western Pennsylvania. The articles in the series reflect the importance of recognizing the organizations' work and that of others like them. Photos by Brian Cook/Golden Sky Media.

The Treasures



[16 Black-led cultural organizations](#)

[Introducing the Treasures: A great day in the Hill District by Ervin Dyer](#)

August Wilson Center



Janis Burley Wilson, President and CEO of August Wilson African American Cultural Center

[The Writer's Landscape by Tim Grant](#)

1Hood Media



A dynamic Pittsburgh collective uses the arts and activism to promote social justice and help liberate individuals and the community.

[1Hood Media by LaMont Jones Jr.](#)

Playwrights Theatre



Pittsburgh Playwrights Theatre puts the development of actors and writers center stage.

[A Matter of Faith by Tawanda W. Johnson](#)

Legacy Arts



The Legacy Arts Project celebrates the long lineage and wisdom of African dance and music.

[Past is Present by Yven Destin](#)

BOOM Concepts



The creatives behind Pittsburgh's Black-owned gallery space, BOOM Concepts, help artists and the community to blossom.

[BOOM Times by Deborah M. Todd](#)